

## United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

| APPLICATION NO.                             | F    | TILING DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. | CONFIRMATION NO. |
|---|------|-------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 10/669,765                                  | •    | 09/24/2003  | David J. Jochem      | 5723-70258          | 4377             |
| 23643                                       | 7590 | 12/22/2005  |                      | EXAMINER            |                  |
| BARNES                                      |      |             | NGO, LIEN M          |                     |                  |
| 11 SOUTH MERIDIAN<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 |      |             | ART UNIT             | PAPER NUMBER        |                  |
|   |      |             |                      | 3727                |                  |
|   |      |             |                      |                     |                  |

DATE MAILED: 12/22/2005

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

| 2 1100 15 250 1   | Application No.  | Applicant(s)   |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| SUPPLEMENTAL  |  | IOCHEM DAVID   |  |
| Notice of Allowability  | 10/669,765<br>Examiner   | JOCHEM, DAVID J.  Art Unit   |  |
| ·   |  | 1  |  |
|   | LIEN TM NGO  | 3727   |  |
| The MAILING DATE of this communication appear All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) of NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIC of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313   | OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this<br>or other appropriate communicat<br>GHTS. This application is subject | application. If not included tion will be mailed in due course. THIS |  |
| 1. This communication is responsive to <u>amendment 7/22/05</u> .   |  |  |  |
| 2. X The allowed claim(s) is/are 3-7,11,12 and 14.  |  |  |  |
| 3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority und   | der 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).   |  |  |
| a) All b) Some* c) None of the:   |  |  |  |
| <ol> <li>Certified copies of the priority documents have</li> </ol>   |  |  |  |
| 2.  Certified copies of the priority documents have   |  |  |  |
| 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority doc   | uments have been received in the   | nis national stage application from the                              |  |
| International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).  |  |  |  |
| * Certified copies not received:  |  |  |  |
| Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONM THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.  4.   A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submit to be submit | ENT of this application. tted. Note the attached EXAMIN  | ER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF  |  |
| INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which give  |  | aration is denoterit.  |  |
| 5. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") mus   | t be submitted.  | TO 040) -H-chod  |  |
| (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftspers  |  | 10-948) attached   |  |
| 1)  hereto or 2)  to Paper No./Mail Date  |  | Office relies of   |  |
| <ul><li>(b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's<br/>Paper No./Mail Date</li></ul>   |  |  |  |
| Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1, each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the   | ne neader according to 37 or it is   | 121(d).  |  |
| 6. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT  | SIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIA<br>FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOG   | AL must be submitted. Note the GICAL MATERIAL.                       |  |
|   |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |
| Attachment(s)  1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)  | 5. Notice of Inform  | al Patent Application (PTO-152)                                      |  |
| 2. ☐ Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)  | 6. Interview Summary (PTO-413),  |  |  |
| 3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/0  | Paper No./Maii Date  |  |  |
| Paper No./Mail Date4.   Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit  | 8. 🗌 Examiner's Stat   | ement of Reasons for Allowance                                       |  |
| of Biological Material  | 9.   |  |  |
|   |  | LIEN TM NGO Primary Examiner Art Unit: 3727                          |  |